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1. A study of aerial photography dated [] has been made in an attempt to locate and describe a suspected GM Propulsion Unit Plant 4 km northwest of Makhabino, USSR.

2. Makhabino is located approximately 18 nm northwest of Moscow, 12 nm southeast of Istra, at 55°51'N/37°11'E, and is served by a paved road and electrified rail line from both cities.

3. The reported site of the suspected GM Propulsion Unit Plant is near the town of Proletarskiy, at 55°52'N/37°08'E. 1/

4. The following paragraphs are in answer to requirement RR/HTA/E/R24/58:

a. The plant location could not be determined from aerial photography. 2/

b. Four areas of recent activity with road construction are noted in the Makhabino area (see accompanying sketch), but due to scattered clouds and moderate haze these areas cannot be fully described. Area letters are keyed to the sketch. These activity areas are as follows:

Area A

Area A, located just south of the rail line at Proletarskiy, is a housing area of recent construction. The area is rectangular, measuring approximately 1500 by 1300 feet (45 acres). This area contains approximately 20 apartment-type buildings, 24 possible duplex-type dwellings, a park, and numerous support structures. The building dimensions could not be measured on the photography.

1/ Target Complex Chart []

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Area B

Area B is a military-type installation located 5 nm WNW of Nakhabino at 55°52'N/37°02'E.

This area is rectangular, measuring approximately 2100 by 1700 feet (82 acres). The area is covered by a heavy haze. Four 200-foot buildings and an H-shaped internal road net are visible.

Area C

Area C, at the southern limits of Proletarskiy is the nearest site to the described location of the plant. This area, larger than Area B, is a possible industrial-type installation. No buildings can be definitely identified as to type or size, due to the haze.

New Road

A new road, possibly 60 feet wide, leads from the housing area (Area A) directly to the possible industrial area (Area C).

Road Under Construction

A road under construction leads from the military-type installation (Area B) to the vicinity of the possible industrial area (Area C).

Area D

Area D, located just west of Nakhabino, is a secured possible industrial-type installation measuring approximately 1600 by 1200 feet (44 acres). At least fourteen buildings are located in the area, but measurements cannot be made. An area of track or construction activity, 2800 by 2000 feet, is located just west of this possible industrial-type area.

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Photostat Sketch

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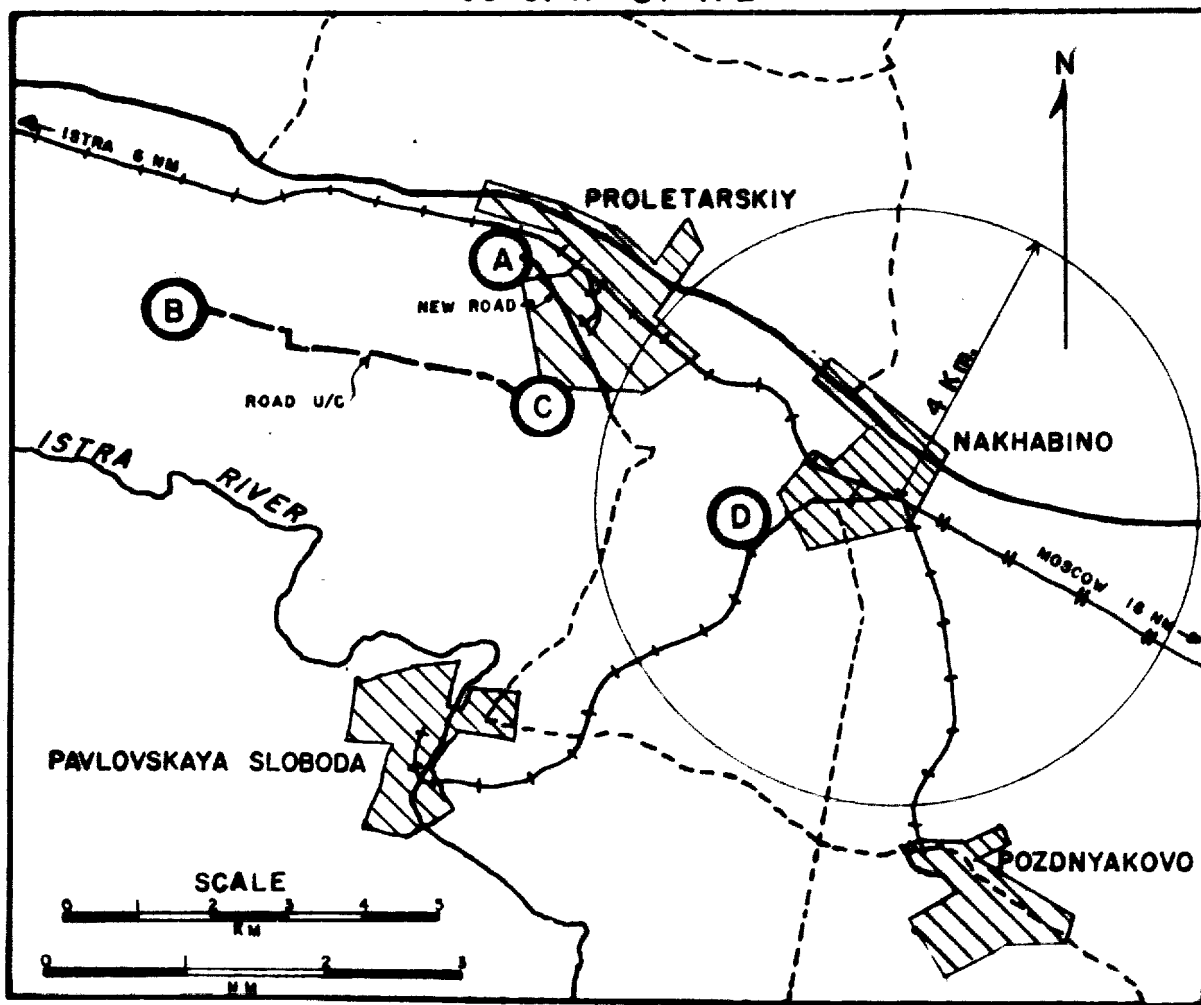
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NAKHABINO AREA

53° 51' N - 37° 11' E



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